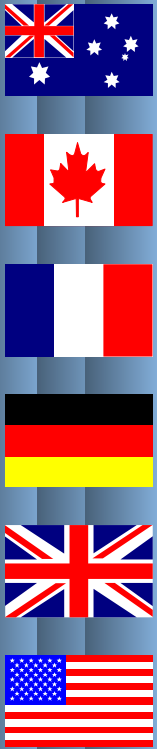


Concept Development and Experimentation (CDE) Multinational Interoperability Working Group

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CDE MIWG Accomplishments

- Raised awareness of MN CDE initiatives
 - Developed CDE MIWG Baseline Paper
 - Exchanged national CDE programs to enhance understanding of national activities
 - Identified opportunities for MN involvement
- Developed the Models & Simulations and Logistics subgroups



CDE MIWG Work Plan

- **Task:**
 - Develop a MN CDE Calendar
 - Identify opportunities for enhancing MN interoperability
 - Identify conflicts that impede MN CDE
- **Status:**
 - Baseline Paper was improved and updated in May and Nov 03
- **Way Ahead:**
 - Monthly CDE MIWG Teleconference
 - MN CDE Calendar by Mar 04



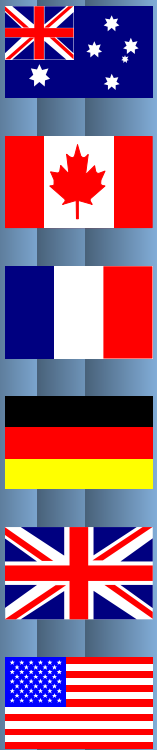
CDE MIWG Work Plan

- **Task:**
 - Distribute, through the MIC, MN and appropriate national experimentation results and analysis
- **Status:** New initiative since last MIC
- **Way Ahead:** Distribute results and analysis for MN LOE 1 & 2, Unified Quest 03, Pinnacle Impact 03, German MN IO Experiment



CDE MIWG Work Plan

- **Task:**
 - Distribute, through the MIC, appropriate MN and national concepts
- **Status:** New initiative since last MIC
- **Way Ahead:**
 - A proposed event:
 - Compare future joint operational concepts
 - Conduct interoperability gap analysis



CDE MIWG Issue

- **Discussion:** National experimentation activities include the analysis of MN interoperability issues
- **Options:** Member nations need to leverage the MIC, vice other venues, as the principal forum for MN interoperability issues
- **Recommendation:** That the MIC Principals advocate to their authorities for the analysis of MN interoperability issues in their national experimentation activities

CDE MIWG Decisions

- Approve work plan
- Issue decision
 - National experimentation activities include the analysis of MN interoperability issues